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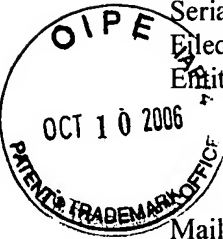
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Attorney Docket No.: UM-08901

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: David Ginsburg, *et al.*
 Serial No.: 10/781,362
 Filed: 02/18/2004
 Entitled: MCFD2 Nucleic Acids and Proteins

Group No.: 1653
 Examiner: J.S. Sitton



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Date: October 5, 2006

By:

Mary Ellen Waite

Sir or Madam:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	9	—	20	0	X	\$50.00	\$0.00
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\$0.00

1. No fee is due at this time.
2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication, and/or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 08-1290**. An **originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**

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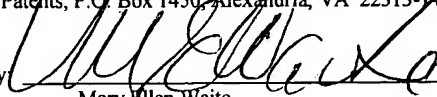
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Dear Examiner,

The following communication is in response to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2006 in the above-referenced application. As the pending Office Action sets a one month shortened statutory period for the Applicant's response, the Applicants believe that the instant communication is timely filed and that no fees are due with its transmission. The Commissioner is, however, hereby authorized to charge any required fees to Attorney Deposit Account No. 08-1290, referencing Attorney Docket No.: UM – 08901.